

BRITISH CHANCELLOR  
COUNTS WAR COSTEnglish Governments Extra  
Expense Will Be Over  
Two Billion This Year

## WAR LOAN NECESSARY

Special Taxes on Tea and  
Spirits Will Pay Greater Por-  
tion of Enormous Bill

## LONG CONFLICT LIKELY

London, Nov. 17.—David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer in the house of commons today estimated that the cost of one year of the war for this country would be 450,000,000 pounds sterling (\$2,250,000,000) the largest amount England has ever spent on a war and more than twice what was spent in the four years conflict in South Africa.

To pay this enormous bill the government had decided, he said, to raise a loan of 350,000,000 pounds (\$1,750,000,000) which would be issued at 95 per cent interest at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent and be redeemable at par March 1st, 1928.

The chancellor proposed and the house unanimously supported him, that the income tax should be doubled but only collected on one third of the income this year; that an extra half penny (one cent) per half pint should be levied on beer and an extra three penny (six cents) per pound on tea. He explained that the expenditure on the British troops would be higher in proportion than that of any other country in the world, as the pay and the cost of the army and navy were greater; there were separate allowances to the men and their families and pensions were on a larger scale. Already 2,000,000 were serving and another million were in the course of enlistment.

War Will Be Long.  
"We are fighting," said the chancellor, "an enemy who cannot offer any terms that we can accept without a smashing defeat. Therefore if there is any doubt about the length of the war, I, as chancellor of the exchequer, must assume the longer period."

Taking into consideration the loss on interest and the revenue on money borrowed for purposes of the war, he said he would have to find this year \$50,000,000 and next year \$250,000,000. The greater part of the money would be spent in this country. He computed that at least four-fifths of that raised would be expended here. He pointed out that during the war and the period of reconstruction which would follow it there would be no competition in the neutral markets of the world, except from America and that therefore England would command those markets. He looked forward to the year of 1915 or the years when the manufacturers of Great Britain would have an artificial stimulus because of the abnormal conditions.

When that period was over the country would be faced by the most serious industrial situation it ever had to face, as capital would be exhausted and customers crippled and their purchasing power depressed.

Armaments to Cost Less.  
He hoped there would be a great reduction in the cost of armaments after the war, but predicted that even for the first few years the country must expect heavily increased charges for interest in the sinking fund, separation allowances and pensions.

As it would be easier to raise taxes in the period of the war, Chancellor Lloyd-George said he intended to commence immediately. There was no intention to levy taxes which would interfere with industry but it was necessary to include all classes of the community.

He then explained the income tax and super-tax proposals which he estimated would bring in 12,500,000 pounds sterling (\$62,500,000) this year and 44,750,000 pounds sterling (\$223,750,000) next year. The extra duty on beer had been so arranged that it would fall on the customers, as it had been found impossible to obtain a small income tax from those people whom a tax on beer would reach. The consumer would therefore be called upon to pay a half penny a half pint more for his beer. As tetotaliters did not drink mineral waters and a tax on those drinks would fall on the drinkers of spirits and on children he proposed to raise a tax on tea, which total abstainers did drink, to the amount of three pence a pound. This would produce this year an extra 950,000 pounds sterling (\$4,750,000) and next year an extra 3,200,000 pounds sterling (\$16,000,000).

War Loan Necessary.  
This exhausted his range of taxable commodities and as there still would be a deficiency of three hundred and twenty one million odd pounds, the only way of meeting it was by a war loan. On the terms of issue the new securities would pay four per cent and already 100,000,000 pounds (\$500,000,000) had been offered to the government while the bank of England had agreed to give credit facilities, which would relieve pressure on the money market and make for security most valuable to the financial and mercantile community.

## War News Summarized

German forces keep battering at the allied lines to the south and east of Ypres, but the French claim to be satisfied with the situation. The allies, according to the latest official communication, have been delivering attacks from the Yser to the heights of the Meuse and record progress at all points.

In the eastern arena no decisive actions are reported but one may be expected soon in Russian Poland, where the Russian advance has come into contact with heavy German contingents. The Austrians are moving back from the Russian army in Galicia, but against the Serbians and Montenegrins the Austrians apparently are making marked progress and are again threatening Belgrade.

The Germans captured in the battle of Kutno, Governor Von Korf of Warsaw and his staff.

The British government is to raise a loan of \$1,750,000,000 for war purposes and the chancellor of the exchequer has arranged a schedule of new taxes which includes an increase in the income tax and special taxes on beer and tea.

In the opinion of the chancellor one year of the present war will cost Great Britain \$2,250,000,000, the largest amount England has ever spent on a war. The British prime minister, Mr. Asquith announced that the British government has decided to declare the whole of the North Sea to be in the military area and that therefore all subjects of the enemy found on neutral vessels in those waters would be liable to detention as prisoners of war. Oil and copper, he further announced, will be contraband of war. A news agency despatch reports that the forts at Smyrna have fired upon a launch of the United States Cruiser Tennessee which was entering the Gulf of Smyrna to arrange for an anchorage for the cruiser.

The Prince of Wales, who is at the front, has been made an aide de camp to Field Marshal Sir John French.

The German converted cruiser Berlin, former of the North German Lloyd line, has interfered at Tromsø, Norway. It is believed she had been acting as a convoy for German submarines.

Several large American owned factories in Petrograd have been taken over by the Russian government for the manufacture of small arms for the supply of which Russia has depended on France.

The body of Field Marshal Lord Roberts has been brought across the channel from Boulogne to Folkestone. Everywhere it was accorded the highest military honors. The body will be buried in St. Paul's, in the Mausoleum of Beardsley's distinguished military dead.

TWO CHANGES MADE IN  
THE ALTON DIRECTORATE

Robert Walker and Louis Krauthoff Will Represent the Central Trust Company (Gross Earnings Decrease).

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Two changes were made in the directorate of the Chicago & Alton railroad company by the stockholders in the 23rd annual meeting today. Robert Walker and Louis C. Krauthoff were elected as directors in place of F. H. Davis and L. J. Spencer. The new directors represent the Central Trust company of New York the trustee of the bonds of the Toledo, St. Louis & Western railroad company which are secured by \$11,000,000 common and \$5,000,000 preferred Alton stock pledged by the Clover Leaf System. The Alton stock had been sold to the Clover Leaf System by the Rock Island company in 1907.

There was no mention at the stockholders meeting of the Clover Leaf holdings nor the final disposition which may be made of them.

According to the officials of the road the annual report will show a decrease of 7 1/2 per cent in the gross earnings of the road, which the officials hold is a very good showing when the present and incipient business depression is taken into consideration.

## TWO MEN LOOT LOAN BANK.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Jewels variously estimated at from \$25,000 to \$10,000 were stolen from a North Side loan bank tonight by two robbers who bound the proprietors, a clerk and two customers, looted the safe and escaped. Charles A. White, former state representative whose resignation confession started the investigation into the election of William Lorimer, was one of the customers bound and gagged.

## McCORMICK IS RE-ELECTED.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—A canvass of election returns completed tonight shows the re-election of Medill McCormick, Progressive National committeeman from Illinois, as state representative from the twenty ninth district by 287 votes.

000,000 pounds (\$500,000,000) had been offered to the government while the bank of England had agreed to give credit facilities, which would relieve pressure on the money market and make for security most valuable to the financial and mercantile community.

JANE ADDAMS TO SERVE  
ON SUFFRAGE BOARDMAKES CLEAR RELATIONS SHE WILL  
SUSTAIN TO ORGANIZATION

Business of National Association's Convention at Nashville Finished by Committees—Mrs. Medill McCormick and Mrs. Antoinette Funk Named For Important Duties.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 17.—With appointment of chairmen of important standing committees and formulation of plans for the work of the coming year the business left over from the National American Woman Suffrage association's annual convention was completed here today at meetings of the executive council and the board of directors. Sessions of the two bodies which were behind closed doors, lasted until evening.

Mrs. Addams Defines Position.  
One interesting incident in the meeting of the executive council was the presentation by Mrs. Desha Preckinridge of Kentucky, first vice president of the association of a letter from Miss Jane Addams of Chicago relative to the proposed election of Miss Addams as honorary first vice-president. Miss Addams is said to have objected to the use made of a statement purporting to have been issued by her and which strongly supported the administration element in the convention. The statement appeared the morning of the election of national officers.

Miss Addams, it was reported, declared in her letter today that she could not accept the honorary position unless it were made entirely clear that she was to serve in an honorary capacity only and that her name was not to be used as endorsing future actions of the official board.

After extended discussion the council elected her with this specific understanding.

The board of directors appointed Mrs. Medill McCormick of Chicago chairman of the committee on congressional work with Mrs. Antoinette Funk of Chicago as vice chairman. It was announced that Mrs. Funk would go to Washington and take charge of the work before congress.

## Committees Are Named.

Mrs. James Lees Laidlaw of New York was chairman of the membership committee, which has jurisdiction over admission of suffrage organizations to the national body. Others named on this committee were: Mrs. Nellie N. Somerville, Mississippi; Miss Helen N. Eaker, Kansas; Miss Mary Bakwell, Pennsylvania; and Mrs. Sumner, Omaha, Nebraska.

Other committee chairmen were named as follows:  
Elections—Mrs. Sherman Booth, Chicago.

Literature—Miss Caroline Rautz-Rees, Connecticut.

Presidential suffrage—Miss Elizabeth Yates, Rhode Island.

The next convention city will be selected later by the directors. Baltimore, Richmond and Washington, D. C., are being considered.

LINCOLN MEN TESTIFY IN  
ALLEGED LAND FRAUD SUIT

Testify Investors Held Meeting in Illinois Town and Demanded Money Paid for Florida Land.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 17.—That a meeting of investors, together with land agents, for the purpose of demanding their money back was held in Lincoln, Ill., was brought out in the testimony of John R. Park of that city, a witness in the trial in federal court here today, by E. C. Chambers, president and alleged agent of the Chambers Land company. The defendants are charged with having used the mails to defraud in the sale of Florida lands. Mr. Park testified that residents of that city sent two representatives to Florida after they had purchased land from the Chambers concern. One made a flowery report, while the other said the land was worthless. At the meeting which was then held, Chambers and E. L. Russell, another of the defendants, promised to return the money to dissatisfied investors within thirty days according to Park. This was not done, he said.

Lucien Garwood, also of Lincoln, the man who made an adverse report on the land testified on cross-examination that while in Florida he had accepted the agency for another land company and that representatives of this company were present at the investors' meeting when they asked Chambers for their money back.

W. Harford of Kansas City, Kansas, testified that water was ten feet deep on the land he purchased as "ready to farm." Other witnesses included J. D. Price, Lincoln, Ill., and G. W. Thompson, Springfield, Mo.

## SUCCESS OF PLAN ASSURED.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The country wide effort to furnish aid to cotton producers and find a bottom for the cotton market came to a successful conclusion tonight when the secretary of the treasury announced the completion of the \$135,000,000 cotton loan fund. In making his announcement Mr. McAdoo declared the success of the plan was now assured.

BAD WEATHER DOES  
NOT STOP GERMANSStill Making Effort to  
Break Defense Along  
Franco-Belgian Frontier

## LITTLE PROGRESS MADE

Although Artillery Duel Has  
Been Continuous Neither Side  
Makes Any Progress

## INVASERS WORKING TO CHECK FLOOD

London, Nov. 17.—Undeterred by wintry weather and floods, the Germans are still making an effort to break down the allies' defense along the Franco-Belgian frontier. Although the Berlin official report refers to the day as having been a quiet one, there has been an almost continuous artillery duel with occasional infantry attacks but apparently without either side making any progress.

The line from the coast to Neuport which has been receiving less attention since the Germans began their attempt to get the British out of Ypres, again has been subjected to a bombardment which is described as a very violent one, while to the south of Dixmunde the Germans have been trying, under fire from the allies' cannon, to build works to check the flood which compelled them to leave their trenches.

At other points the big guns again have been busy and Rheims has been subject to another rain of shells.

## Fighting South of Verdun.

From the allies' point of view probably the most important operations are those to the south of Verdun, where the French troops for some time have been trying further to relieve the pressure which the Germans have been exerting on the fortress. They have at last succeeded according to the French official communication and besides making progress on the heights of the Meuse they have advanced on St. Mihiel, the only point on the left bank of the Meuse which the Germans have been successful in holding.

## Another Battle in Poland.

Another big battle is developing in Poland between the Vistula and Warta rivers, where the Russian advance has been met by large forces of Germans coming from Thorn. The German plan seems to be to attack the Russian center in the hope of drawing their wings from East Prussia and Cracow. In the former region the Russians report a further advance toward the Gumbinnen-Angersburg line in the north but they have not been able to dislodge the Germans from the passages of the Mazurian lakes.

## Driving Austrians Southward.

In Galicia the troops of Emperor Nicholas are driving the Austrians southward and westward and have engaged their rear guards at Dukla, at the foot of the Carpathian mountains.

There was an unofficial report today that Cracow was burning but this has not been confirmed.

## Result of Battle Unknown.

General Botha, commander of the Union of South Africa forces, again has been engaged with General Dewet's rebel command but the result of the battle is not known. Apparently General Dewet who gave the British so much trouble in the South African war before he finally was captured, is proving a thorn in the side of his old comrade, Botha, for, although part of his command has been captured General Dewet seems to keep out of the hands of his pursuers. The action of the Steamer Berlin, a former Non-German Lloyd liner, which was converted into a cruiser, in deliberately entering the Harbor of Trondhjem, Norway and interning, is something of a mystery here. It is presumed it was acting as a convoy for German submarines and was being watched by the allies' warships.

## LOS ANGELES TO VOTE

ON A GENERAL MANAGER  
City May Have Manager and Board of Eleven Directors.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 17.—Charter amendments presented today to the city council, which will proclaim a special election December 28th, to provide for a city manager and a board of eleven directors, in addition to the mayor and city council. If the amendments are adopted at the election, Los Angeles will be the first city of its size in the country to have a general manager.

Under the amendments as drafted, only the mayor and council will be elected. The manager will be appointed by the city council, subject to the veto power of the mayor and the manager in turn shall appoint the eleven directors who will supersede various city commissioners and who will be under civil service rules.

## HEAD OF CATHOLIC CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY HAS SWORN STATEMENTS OF SCORES OF ALLEGED CRIMES.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Tales of the murder and robbery of priests, the outraging of nuns and the desecration of property of the Catholic church by rebels in Mexico were made public tonight by the Very Rev. Francis C. Kelley, president of the Catholic church extension society. He has just returned from Havana and Texas border cities, where he talked with dignitaries of the church who have been exiled from Mexican territory and brought back a host of tales of alleged crimes of revolutionists.

With him returned the Right Rev. Juan Herrera of the diocese of Tulancingo who has taken up residence here with archbishop Quigley. The Rev. Herrera asserts that when the rebels entered Tulancingo they occupied the Episcopal Palace and in it gave a ball at which lewd women appeared dressed in Episcopal vestments.

TURKS FIRE ON BOAT  
FROM U. S. CRUISERLAUNCH IS COMPELLED TO RETURN  
TO THE TENNESSEE

Despatch from Athens, Greece, Tells of Shooting—Washington Officials Refuse to Credit or be Alarmed by the Message.

London, Nov. 17.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Athens says:

"A launch from the United States Cruiser Tennessee which was entering the Gulf of Smyrna to arrange for the cruiser to come into the harbor, was fired upon by the forts and compelled to return to the Tennessee."

"The commander of the Tennessee informed the Valt that he had orders from his government to enter the harbor of Smyrna and had decided to do so."

Refuse to Credit Despatch.  
Washington, Nov. 17.—Officials here tonight refused to credit or to be alarmed by the despatch saying the Cruiser Tennessee's launch had been fired upon by the Turkish forts at Smyrna. Secretary Daniels said if any incident had occurred to give rise to such a report, the department would be informed fully by tomorrow. In the meantime he did not think it necessary to make a special effort to communicate with the cruiser.

Mr. Daniels said the Tennessee had not been ordered to go to Smyrna harbor, that the commanders of both the Tennessee and her sister ship, the North Carolina had only general instructions to remain in Mediterranean waters and look out for American interests. He was satisfied that neither of the commanders would take any step that might involve the United States in international difficulties. At the Turkish embassy it was said the Smyrna report probably was untrue but if there had been any difficulty between the commander of the Tennessee and Smyrna port authorities it must have resulted from a misunderstanding which quickly would be cleared up. Officials regarded it as highly improbable that anything had occurred which could not be readily adjusted by exchange between the Turkish and American governments.

## TWO MEN ARE KILLED AND TWO

HURT WHEN AUTO TURNS OVER

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Nov. 17.—Two men were killed and two others were injured seriously when an automobile in which they were riding left a bridge and turned over on its occupants at Dwight, near here tonight.

The dead are:  
Thomas D. Thompson, 65 years old and Barney Dewey 45 years old, both of Seneca, Ill.

The injured are Walter and Albert Bruner, brothers of Streator, Ill.

Walter Bruner was driving the machine.

## TESTIFIES COMPETITION FORCED CLOSING OF FACTORIES

Former Sugar Refiner Takes Stand in Government's Auto-Trust Suit.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Charles Popo, one time owner of sugar refining plants at Geneva and Venice, Ill., testified in the government's anti-trust suit today that the competition of the Corn Products Refining company had forced him to close his factories until he finally sold out to them for \$3,000,000 in cash.

From 1897 when the Glucose Sugar Refining company incorporated at \$40,000,000 was formed until 1902 when it was succeeded by the Corn Products company, he had refused to sell out, he said. Some prices on by products would be so decreased that he was forced to shut down, he testified. When prices rose, he would resume business. He said his plants were worth approximately \$300,000.

Henry Herget, owner of the Illinois Sugar Refining Plant at Pekin testified he had sold out in 1902 for \$2,000,000. L. P. Best said he had been paid \$700,000 in cash and stock for his business in Dayton, Iowa.

## MAKES PUBLIC TALES OF MURDER AND ROBBERY OF PRIESTS IN MEXICO

Head of Catholic Church Extension Society Has Sworn Statements of Scores of Alleged Crimes.

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UNITED STATES IS  
FILLING FOOD DEMANDEXPORTS OF BREADSTUFFS FOR  
OCTOBER \$38,247,570

Exports of Breadstuffs Last Month Exceeded 1913 Figures Nearly \$25,000,000—Exports of Fresh Beef More Than Doubled During the Month.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Europe's cry for food is being answered by the United States. Exports of breadstuffs in October of this year amounted to \$38,247,570, according to statistics made public today by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, an increase of nearly \$25,000,000 over figures for October, 1913.

Exports of fresh beef also more than doubled during the month, figures this year being \$38,940, as against \$34,863 in October, 1913. In spite of the tremendous increase in food shipments, exports as a whole did not measure up to last year's figures. The total for the month as recorded at the ten chief ports of the United States amounting to \$83,513,466 as against \$147,833,016 the previous year. For the week ending November 14th, exports at these ports totaled \$47,587,330 and officials of the commerce bureau see in that record a continuance of the marked improvement in American export trade already noted this month and upon which the feeling of confidence in the bright future opening before American industries is based. The districts selected handle nearly 80 per cent of the nation's export trade and the tabulation shows that the balance in favor of this country on international trade stood last Saturday at \$32,392,214 for the first half of November. Imports last week totaled \$25,710,988.

## WILLARD AND JOHNSON

MATCHED FOR BOXING BOUT

Will Probably Battle in Mexico Some Time in March.

London, Nov. 17.—Articles were signed today for a boxing bout of from 20 to 45 rounds between Jack Johnson, the heavy weight champion and Jess Willard, American white hope. The fight will take place during the last two weeks in March at some place to be chosen Feb. 15th. It is said that the battle ground probably will be Mexico.

Each of the boxers deposited \$1,000 to guarantee his appearance at the ringside.

## DELEGATES TO RIVERS AND HARBOR CONGRESS

Governor Dunne Announces Delegates to Washington Meeting.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 17.—Governor Dunne today named the following delegates to the rivers and harbors congress, which will meet in Washington, December 9th-11th.

H. C. Gardner; H. C. Barlow; W. H. Harper; John J. Commons; William H. Johnson; E. N. Judd; Colman W. V. Judson; E. R. McCormick; Elmer Martin; John C. Cripp; J. J. Walt; Col. E. S. Conway; Lyman E. Cooley; John Erickson; John M. Glenn; Thos. J. Kelly; T. E. Wilder; H. F. Miller; Sterling Merton; Hon. Edmund H. Roche; and J. J. Armstrong, all of Chicago; Captain G. P. Blow, N. W. Duncan, W. A. Panneke, R. W. Thompson, R. S. Hazen, Fritz Work, Thos. P. Noon, all of LaSalle; Walter B. Morgan, Fred N. Smith, Walter B. Willis and Richard B. Johnson, all of Peoria; Arthur C. Leach, E. J. Barlow and Cal D. O'Callahan of Joliet; Henry P. Dwyer, Minooka; Walter A. Shaw, Springfield; H. F. Burke, Lockport; Arthur Charles, Carmi; Sherman L. Marshall, Ipava and Edward Smoehn, Sheridan.

## SWEDISH STEAMER SUNK.

London, Nov. 17.—The Swedish steamer Andrew struck a mine in the North Sea yesterday and sank. Eighteen survivors, including two women, were after having drifted about in boats for twelve hours were rescued by a liner and landed at Hull.

## DR. SPINDLE APPOINTED.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 17.—Dr. J. S. Spindle of this city was today appointed by Governor Dunne a member of the Illinois board of health vice Dr. J. J. Hassett, McLeansboro, deceased.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Illinois: Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday fair.

## Temperatures.

The current maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Tuesday were:

Jacksonville	34	41	18
Boston	32	42	42
Buffalo	29	26	23
New York	34	40	30
New Orleans	48	54	42
Chicago	29	32	22
Detroit	22	26	22
Omaha	46	44	22
St. Paul	16	18	8
Helela	36	38	18
San Francisco	60	68	60
Winnipeg	4	4	24

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MILLIONS SHIFTED  
WITHOUT A HITCHReports to Reserve Board  
Tell of Movement  
of \$170,000,000

## TO TRANSFER MORE

First Day Is Devoted to Usual  
Ceremonies Accompanying  
Launching of Organization

## WILSON CONGRATULATES McADOO

Washington, Nov. 17.—How \$170,000,000 in gold and lawful money was shifted without a hitch yesterday from the banks which are members of the federal reserve system to their reserve banks was told in today's reports to the federal reserve board. Of this total about \$127,000,000 was in gold or gold certificates and the rest in other forms of money.

According to the estimates, between \$70,000,000 and \$80,000,000 is yet to be transferred from the member banks to the reserve banks to meet the present reserve requirements. The reserve board recently requested that the banks use money in this operation and so far as the first day's reports show no attempt was made to resort to the provision of the currency act which allows banks to make part of this transfer in commercial paper.

The first day of the twelve reserve banks apparently was devoted largely to counting this money and to the usual ceremonies accompanying the launching of a new organization. Only a few million dollars worth of commercial paper was re-discounted. The exact amount was not disclosed tonight but it was said that the report was incomplete and that the first day was not an index to what might be expected later. Officials who are watching the operation of the banks said tonight there was every reason to expect large amounts of re-discounts in the near future. At present there is close to \$300,000,000 of emergency currency and possibly \$15,000,000 clearing house loan certificates outstanding or in the hands of banks. The emergency currency is subject to a tax by the government of three per cent for the first three months and an increase after that period until it reaches six per cent. Clearing house certificates also are put out at high interest rates. Both the emergency currency and the certificates are secured by paper which officials believe in most instances would be subject to re-discount by the federal reserve banks.

Although the demand several months ago from banks for circulating notes caused the issuance of emergency currency, it is pointed out that there now is more currency in circulation than is needed and it is probable that treasury officials will use their influence to avoid further issue.

There have been few applications in the last week and many indications that the demand is about over. President Congratulate McAdoo.

"A future clear and bright with promise of the best things," was the way President Wilson summed up his view of the business prospect tonight in a letter to Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department congratulating him upon the opening of the new federal reserve bank system.

"Fundamental wrongs once righted as they may now easily and quickly be," wrote the president, "all difference will clear away. We are all in the same boat, though apparently we had forgotten it. We now know the port for which we are bound. We have and shall have more and more as our new understandings ripen a common discipline of patriotic purpose. We shall advance, and advance together with a new spirit, a new enthusiasm, a new cordiality of spirited co-operation. It is an inspiring prospect."

Mr. Wilson referred to the new tariff law, the new currency law, the new trade commission law and the labor provisions of the new anti-trust law as the means through which "the soil has everywhere been laid bare out of which monopoly is slowly to be eradicated."

He added that "undoubtedly the means by which credit had been set free is at the heart of all these things; is the key piece of the whole structure."

Referring to the "opportunities" of the currency law, the president said, "the war which has involved the whole of the heart of Europe has made it necessary that the United States should mobilize its resources in the most effective way possible."

He spoke of the difficulty of marketing the cotton crop of the country and added that "no doubt in the light of the new day with its new understandings, the problems of the railroads will also be met and dealt with in a spirit of candor and justice."





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### WOULD ORGANIZE REFUGEES.

And now comes the "American Refugee Society" with emblem, motto and constitution, importing all Americans who were marooned in Europe at the outbreak of the war to join the organization and become, as it were, "veterans over night." Its object is defined as "the perpetuating and recording the impressions and experiences of all those American citizens who were marooned in Europe, to promote and facilitate social intercourse among its members, to secure and protect the welfare and interests of all in future travels and to favor and patronize home industries in every line of goods 'made in America.' Of the making of many clubs there seems to be no end and to the "American Refugee Society" there will doubtless be added a goodly number of the genus, "Joiner," the variety which weeps because there are no more goats to ride and become a charter member of the Fat Men's club or it may be, the Alimony club.

The "trend of the times" is for organization and so this new society comes forth vigorously for "pride, prosperity and patriotism."

### CONTRACTOR IDENTIFIES J. C. R. AS SON OF DEAD RANCHMAN

Tells of Meeting Mysterious Man in California in 1900—J. C. R. Recalls Occasion of the Meeting.  
St. Louis, Mo. Nov. 17.—J. C. R. the man of mysterious identity and claimant to part of the \$100,000 estate of James Caldwell, ranchman of Taylor, N. D., was identified here tonight as Jay Allen Caldwell, son of the dead ranchman, by Henry F. Frecker, a building contractor of this city who claims to have been a business partner of James Caldwell. The meeting of the two, and the identification of "J. C. R." was brought about by a mutual friend and local newspaperman. Frecker declared tonight he and James Caldwell were partners in a commission business in Chicago before the latter became a ranchman and during their business relations learned to know Jay Caldwell intimately. "Sure I know this man," Frecker declared when J. C. R. was brought into the room. "He is Jay Caldwell. The last time I saw Jay was in California in 1900, remember."

The mysterious man partially paralyzed was overjoyed and soon recalled the occasion of the meeting.

### WINCHESTER.

Ray Wallace is here from East St. Louis for a few days visit with home folks.  
The "Troy O' Hearts" showed to a large house Monday night.  
Miss Beatrice Hainsfurther left Monday night for Chicago to visit with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Neat spent Sunday in Springfield, the guests of Mrs. Neat's sister, Mrs. Daniel Wise.  
Miss Mary Wallace and sister Miss Cecil Wallace spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of John Wright in Jacksonville.  
Edward King has arrived home from Jacksonville where he has been a patient in a hospital for several weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grady of Lynnhaven have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carey.  
David New is able to be out again after undergoing an operation in a Jacksonville hospital.  
Paul Carey has returned from Hot Springs, Arkansas where he has been for several weeks.

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### "CHRISTIAN SCIENCE."

Percy W. Stephens.

(Reply to Mr. Avery Coonley, Chicago.)  
If Mrs. Eddy's "sanitary system" posed as such, or as a "mind cure" cult, no word of exposure would be necessary, but to claim it to be Christian is deception of the gross-est form.

On page 530 of "Science and Health," Mrs. Eddy says, "Christ is a divine principle, not a person, soul outside the body." Christ, after His resurrection, said: "A spirit hath not flesh and bones as ye see me have," Luke 24:39. Mrs. Eddy says "Angels are pure thoughts—not messengers," pages 69 and 71. The Bible says angels are "ministers of the spirits sent forth to minister to them who shall be heirs of salvation," Heb. 1:14. Think of Daniel in the lion's den, and God sending "a pure thought" to shut the mouths of the lions.

Like the cuckoo, and its nest "Christian Science" takes its refuge in the work of others, but unlike the cuckoo it does not take a forsaken nest, but takes, by the name it uses, and phrases it employs, the only hope of humanity, and makes the sincere believer cry "they have taken away my Lord and I know not where they have laid Him." No man can honestly read the Bible, and "Science and Health," and find an agreement between them. They are diametrically opposed to each other.

Regarding cures, the writer would suggest the reading of "Unconscious Mind," (p. 387), "Remarkable Eye Case From Lourdes"; and a visit to Shiloh Tabernacle, Zion City, the walls of which building are lined with crutches, etc., of those cured; also a communication with Dr. A. B. Simpson of the Christian Missionary Alliance, and after that investigation, (more references will be given if desired) no honest person would surely be guilty of saying that it is "a matter of mere opinion" to say that others have had as wonderful and perhaps more wonderful cures than Mrs. Eddy. In regard to the failures to cure, if Mr. Coonley is anxious for light on that matter, the writer would be glad to furnish some names, but out of consideration for the bereaved, will not give them here.

To seek the establishment of a church under the name of Christian, on anti-Christian teaching and a mind cure method, does not seem to be honest to the writer, and to receive money for curing a disease which "does not exist" savors of getting money under false pretences. Every devout physician recognizes the hand of God in the cures which he effects, but if all these established a church, we would soon have a "Christian Homeopathic Church," a "Christian Allopathic Church," a "Christian Quinine Church," etc., as well as a "Christian Science Church." This would be absurd.

Mr. Coonley quotes a few lines concerning prayer. I will add a few more from "Science and Health," page 73, "Asking God to pardon sin is a vain repetition such as the heathen use. Habitual goodness is praying without ceasing." Mrs. Eddy eliminates the phrase "forgive us our debts" from the Lord's prayer, and calls her system "Christian." At the heading of one chapter she says: "I certify you brethren that the gospel which was preached of me was not after man, for I neither received it of man neither was I taught it but by revelation of Jesus Christ—Paul." Why not give the quotation Gal. 1:11-12? Evidently because of verse 8, "Though we or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached, let him be accursed," a warning which might shake the confidence of many in Mrs. Eddy.

Paul wrote Colossians to safeguard the church of Colosse against Gnosticism; Galatians as a safeguard against Judaism. Today we need the Divine Light of the Scriptures as a safeguard against Eddyism. Let it be understood that the writer is not courting controversy. As a minister of the gospel he is sincerely zealous to take his share in "defending the faith once for all delivered unto the saints" (Jude 3) and to the task of helping into the "true light" those who are "halting between two opinions" (1 Kings 18:21), he has set his head and heart.

In the interest of seekers after truth in Jacksonville, another special service will be held in the near future to deal with the subject more exhaustively. Dates already fixed make it difficult to give day, but it will probably be in the course of two weeks. Announcement later.

Percy W. Stephens,  
Minister First Baptist Church.

### FIRST BELGIAN RELIEF SHIP REACHES HOLLAND.

Carries 3,500 Tons of Foodstuffs, Gift of the People of Nova Scotia.

The Hague (via London), Nov. 17.—The Steamer Tremorvah, the first Belgian relief ship from the American continent, arrived today at Rotterdam. The Tremorvah sailed from Halifax, Oct. 28, carrying 3,500 tons of flour, potatoes, cheese and canned goods, the gift of the people of Nova Scotia.

As Nova Scotia is a British colony, these supplies are being handled through the American commission at Rotterdam which tomorrow will send a large quantity of flour to the city of Moines. Other supplies will follow shortly to the places where they are most needed. For the benefit of other communities sending aid, the American commissioners state that the greatest need in Northern Belgium, where the mills are in operation, is wheat.

## ILLINOIS COLLEGE AND STATE TITLE

### SEVERAL TEAMS IN CONFERENCE FIGURING ON HONORS.

William and Vashti is Claiming the Place Because of Their Victory Over Lombard and Would Throw Out Millikin Game.—Illinois Will Be Among Leaders When Final Count is Made.

Illinois college lost her best opportunity to figure strong for the state title in the minor conference last Saturday, when she was defeated by the strong Lombard team. William and Vashti upset Bradley's hopes of the honors when she defeated the Peoria school 34 to 7. Millikin's hopes went glimmering when she was held to a 0-0 score by Wesleyan university. Lombard's title is not clear because on Oct. 19 she was defeated by William and Vashti by a score of 7 to 31. Eastern Illinois State Normal is the only school in the conference which has a clear slate so far. The trouble with Normal's claims is that she has not played either Millikin, William and Vashti, Lombard, Illinois college or Bradley, all strong elevens of the conference. How could a school claim much championship honors without bucking up against representative teams of the conference? No one takes Normal's claims seriously. Millikin plays the Charleston school Saturday, and it is conceded that Millikin will win, which, if she does, will not change her place in the percentage column. Millikin also has a defeat at the hands of Lombard to figure about.

### Is Championship Game.

William and Vashti claim that Illinois college is in line for the championship, despite their defeat at the hands of Lombard, and that the contest for the state title will be fought out on Illinois field, when W. and V. meets Illinois on Thanksgiving day. William and Vashti claim that their defeat by a score of 9 to 0 at the hands of Millikin will not stand and will be thrown out at the December meeting because Millikin played an ineligible player in the person of Chenoweth, half back. They claim Chenoweth coached the New York Military Academy team last year and hence used his athletic knowledge for gains in direct opposition to the rules of the association and therefore was ineligible to play. He left school immediately after the W. and V. game.

Plays Bradley Saturday.  
Coach Harmon is putting his men through a hard practice in anticipation of the game Saturday at Peoria, against Bradley Polytechnic Institute. While Illinois has some men not in the best of form, Bradley is also doctoring up several of their men, the majority of them, however, expecting to be in Saturday's struggle. Bradley is counting strong on winning the contest, with the hope that William and Vashti will be downed by Illinois on Turkey day. The condition of the Illinois men is better than it was after the Wesleyan game and the Millikin game. At the Thanksgiving day game here the college is planning a Home Coming and expect to have the largest crowd that ever witnessed a football contest in the history of the institution.

### URGE MOVE TO STRENGTHEN

#### THE NATIONAL DEFENSE

Resolution Adopted by Army of the Philippines Would Provide One Million Trained Men in Event of War.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—A move to strengthen the national defense with a veteran reserve army was advanced by a resolution adopted by the army of the Philippines, which adjourned its fourteenth annual convention today after electing Brig. Gen. Jacob H. Smith of Portsmouth, Ohio, commander-in-chief to succeed Colonel John C. Loper of Des Moines, Iowa.

The veteran reserve forces as contemplated by the resolution would make approximately one million trained men available to the government in the event of war. It would include officers and enlisted men within the military age limit, who have had military service in the United States army, navy, marine corps, United States volunteers, national guard and American citizens with experience in any foreign army.

The plan for the veteran reserve provides that it should be a national organization with a commander-in-chief and all the other officers and forms of the present military organization. It suggests numerous special divisions including veterans of wars in the Philippines, Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii, China, Panama, Mexico, foreign wars, Indian wars, Grand Army and Confederate veterans, National Guard, army, navy and marine corps.

Captain Thomas W. Bath, Bloomington, Ill., was elected paymaster and John C. Loper, Des Moines, Ia., a member of the executive board.

### PLAN PEACE JUBILEE.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Plans for a peace jubilee—the first—between the union and confederate veterans of the siege of Vicksburg, were made known today by E. A. Roziene, president of the Vicksburg veterans association. The reunion is to be held at Vicksburg during the week of October 13th, 1915 and Mr. Roziene said, enough congressmen had pledged their support, to insure an appropriation of \$150,000 for the expenses of the affair.

## Winter Needs and Comforts

We have anticipated cold and snow, sleet and winter winds, by stocking up with all the many things that are needed at this season—Lotions and Creams for chaps and roughened skin; Remedies for coughs, colds and other winter ailments; Atomizers and Hot Water Bottles. The preparations that physicians are prescribing. If is anything needed in winter that should be in a drug store it is here.

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### CITY AND COUNTY

W. R. Dunlap is a business visitor in Paris, Mo.

Mrs. Eliza Virgin of Woodson was calling in the city Tuesday.

George Bonds was among the Franklin visitors in Jacksonville.

Miss Carrie Campbell was among the shoppers in the city Tuesday.

Miss Ione Gallagher of Woodson was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Will Nolden of Meredosia was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Koyne of Murrayville was a shopper in the city Tuesday.

Miss Harriet Bobbitt of Chapin was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Reager of Franklin was a Tuesday shopper in the city.

Harvey Shepley of Murrayville was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. Allen Myers from east of the city was shopping in the city Tuesday.

Reese Jones of Murrayville was a business caller in the city Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Bishop was a Tuesday visitor in the city from New Berlin.

J. W. Adams of Franklin was among the Tuesday visitors in the city.

C. H. Story was a business visitor Tuesday in Franklin and Scottville.

Miss Maude Weeks of Arenzville visited with friends in the city yesterday.

August Walters of Rees station was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Big shoot, Nov. 19, E. Lamb.

Miss Carrie Campbell was a Tuesday visitor in the city from Lynnville.

Mrs. Mary Bailey and daughter of Arenzville was shopping in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McCarty of Liberty were visiting in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer M. Smith of Concord were shopping in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Curtis of Waverly were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Alford of Franklin were Tuesday shoppers in the city.

Miss Valleria Reager of Beards-town was a shopper in the city yesterday.

George Olinger was among the Tuesday business callers in Jacksonville.

Miss Margery Franz of Fulton street is visiting at the home of Mrs. Patrick Dowling, east of the city.

Arthur Rawlings was transacting business in the city Tuesday from Franklin.

Rev. J. W. Kittle of Franklin was among the visitors in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strawn of Alexander were shopping in the city yesterday.

Amos May is spending a few days in the vicinity of Beards-town hunting ducks.

Miss Anna Bronson has returned from a visit of several days in Springfield.

Mrs. Echoff and daughter of Chapin were among the visitors in the city Tuesday.

O. B. Rees of Franklin was among the business callers in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Brengle of Winchester, was among the Tuesday shoppers in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beerup of Franklin were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Alford of Franklin were visitors in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mrs. Cora M. Pine is among those attending the Rebekahs convention in Springfield.

Miss Minnie Green was a city visitor yesterday from the Asbury neighborhood.

Harry Scott of Griggsville was among the Tuesday business visitors in the city.

M. M. Myers of Greenwood avenue was a business visitor in Springfield Tuesday.

Rev. W. S. Phillips of Cerro Gordo is among the visitors in Jacksonville yesterday.

T. I. Brownlow and daughter of Chapin were among the visitors in the city Tuesday.

W. R. Lock of Manchester was among the business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Beekman of Pisgah were among the Tuesday visitors in Jacksonville.

John Burnett and son, Orville Burnett, were city visitors yesterday from Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Spahnower of Pisgah were among the Tuesday visitors in Jacksonville.

Lester and Eugene Hart of Sinclair were among the business callers in the city Tuesday.

A. B. Williamson is attending the meetings of the Grand lodge I. O. O. F. in Springfield.

William Adams of Franklin was among the Tuesday business callers in the city yesterday.

Big shoot, Nov. 19, E. Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Shibe of the Shiloh neighborhood were shopping in the city yesterday.

J. C. Lukeman has returned from Chicago where he went in the interest of Lukeman Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pizzard of the Ebenezer neighborhood were visitors in the city Tuesday.

G. M. Wyatt of Roodhouse is in the city for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Hutchinson.

Mrs. Charles Virgin and daughter of Woodson were among the shoppers in the city Tuesday.

A. C. Moffet cashier of the First National bank in Waverly, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richardson of the Point neighborhood were shopping in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Ora Rolston and Mrs. Hannah Meredith were Tuesday visitors in the city from Franklin.



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The Jacksonville Public Library, has perfected plans for the opening of a branch, to be located at D. L. Harding's grocery store at the corner of South Clay and East Morton avenues. Books will be loaned for the first time Friday and collection will be open for the withdrawal of books from four until eight o'clock Friday of each week, at which time there will be present a member of the regular library staff. The collection, though not large, is thoroughly representative and the books will be changed from time to time so that patrons will have as wide a selection as possible. Statistics have shown that distance has a great deal to do with the extent to which the library is used and the librarian has recognized this method of neutralizing in measure the inconvenience of distance. Persons in that section of the city will as before have at their command the resources of the main library, but it is thought that by the establishment of the branch, the usefulness of that institution will be much extended.

That the branch library idea is a good one is proved by the experience of many cities where one or many branches have been established under the direction of a central library. By considerable work on the part of Miss Barrette and the generous offer of space in his store by Mr. Harding, the project has been made possible and the success of Jacksonville's first branch library will be watched with interest.

The Willing Workers of Alexander M. E. church will give an oyster supper in the basement of the church Saturday night, Nov. 21. They will also serve ice cream and cake.

**THE PHILATHEA SUPPER.**  
A considerable sum for the benefit of the open air school was realized Tuesday evening from the sale of tickets at the chicken pie supper, given in the parlors of Central Christian church by the young ladies of the Philathea circle, an organization of which Miss Mary Deeweese is teacher and Miss Grace Filson president. The meal was an abundant one and no pains were spared by the young ladies in making the occasion a success. A green and white color was carried out. The hazard was in charge of Miss Pearl Jewsbury and the candy booth was directed by the girls of the Delta Sigma class, of which Miss Jewsbury is teacher.

**HAS SON IN BRITISH ARMY.**  
Alexander Ferguson of Regina, Saskatchewan, is enlisted in the British army and is either at the front or ready to go, according to information received by his father, Duncan Ferguson of North Church street, this city. English soldiers are not allowed to write details of army movements, and in the last letter received, written on Nov. 3, there was nothing definite as to how long the son would be in London. Alexander Ferguson is a member of the 5th Battalion, 2nd Infantry Brigade, Canadian Overseas Contingent, and is especially trained to do scouting duty.

**AT DAVIDSON HOME.**  
Mr. and Mrs. William A. Davidson entertained at dinner Sunday at the home in the Joy Prairie neighborhood for a few friends and neighbors. Among those who partook of the excellent dinner and remained for a social afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. John Bridgman.

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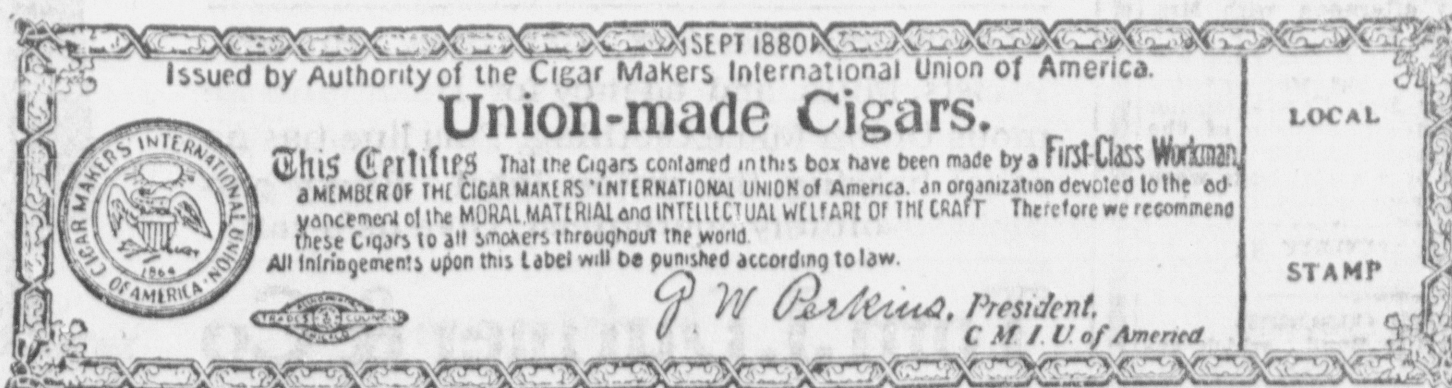
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**Act Two.**  
Stunned by the fate of her sweetheart, Alice is forced into a loveless marriage with Griggs. Ten years pass. Craig is freed, and wanders broken-hearted to the coast. Meanwhile, Griggs is the financial leader in a Mexican revolution plot. One night Craig witnesses the loading of the revolution ships with contraband arms. He is discovered and forcibly put to work aboard the vessel. Off the Mexican coast, the night the revolutionists are to land, Craig overhears the entire plot, old plum tree.

**Act Three.**  
Reaching the San Pedro garrison, Craig gives the alarm, is warmly thanked by the Governor and returns with the Federal troops as guide. The revolutionists are surprised, a brisk skirmish and hot battle follow, in which Craig takes active part. He encounters Griggs, they fight without recognizing each other and Griggs is mortally wounded. Craig carried him out of the line of fire to a nearby hut, where Griggs summons a padre and confesses to having planned the train robbery to implicate Craig and get him out of the way. Hearing his name mentioned, Craig hastens to the bedside, a big scene follows in which the two men recognize each other. The shock kills Griggs and Craig is left with the written confession. Returning to Trumbull, Craig finds Alice, reveals her husband's confession and there is a beautiful reunion of love under the old plum tree.

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Bob Macauley, the celebrated detective, is called by the family and the case placed into his hands.

**WITH THE SICK**  
Mrs. Charles H. Story, who has been a patient at Passavant hospital, was sufficiently improved Tuesday to be removed to her home on the Vandavia road.

Mrs. A. Ingram of South Clay avenue is able to be about after an illness of three weeks.

Mrs. N. C. Layman, who has been ill at the home of E. E. Wells on South Main street, is improving.

Mrs. Geo. J. Chambers has been to Chicago on account of the serious illness of her son-in-law, Porter R. Leach.

**WILL GO TO LYNNVILLE.**  
At the Lynnville M. E. church revival this evening music will be furnished by the choir of Northminster church, who will make the trip by automobile accompanied by Rev. Mr. Spooner and Rev. M. Bracewell.

### SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Ladies Missionary society of Northminster church will meet this afternoon at 2:30. After the regular program the Birthday party of the ladies having birthdays in November will take place. The hostesses will be Mrs. Lou Smith, Mrs. Frances Cherry and Mrs. David Estaque.

The parent-teachers' association of the second ward met yesterday afternoon in the Lafayette building when talks were heard from Miss Lydia Barrette and Miss Ruth McLaughlin. The former suggested the best books for children for Christmas gifts and Miss McLaughlin told of interesting picture books and described the different ways of printing and binding books. The association voted to endorse the municipal Christmas tree which is being promoted by the various business and civic organization of the city.

The "Reliables," a Sunday school class of the Central Christian church taught by A. C. Rice were entertained at a banquet at the home of their teacher Monday night. A splendid supper was served and the evening was spent socially and with music. Among the members present were Weir Wood, Dale Boxell, Walter Boxell, Paul Strawn, Clifford Strawn, Paul Leurig and Clarence Ratachak.

The East Side Tuesday club held their meeting yesterday with Mrs. E. L. Kinney on South Prairie street. The society enjoyed a very interesting account from Miss Lilian Davis of her recent trips abroad. The society held a social hour and light refreshments were served.

Mrs. Arthur M. Masters has issued invitations for a reception to be given Tuesday, Nov. 24, in honor of Mrs. S. D. Masters and Mrs. J. R. Newcomb.

### SPECIAL SUIT SALE AT HERMAN'S.

**ENTERTAIN AT EUCHE.**  
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Quinn, southwest of the city entertained a considerable number of friends and neighbors Monday evening. Progressive euchre was played and prizes were won by Mrs. George Bader, Thomas Mandeville and Monica Riley. Delightful refreshments were served.

Among the number present were Mr. and Mrs. George Bader, Miss Katherine Bader, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ranson, Miss Fay Ranson, Mrs. Quinn and son, Fred, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Flynn and family, Miss Clara Bengel, Miss Ida Bengel, Miss Marie Riley, Monica and Edward Riley, Miss Mary and Gene Murphy, Misses Margaret and Rose Flynn and Geo. Flynn, Emma, Louie, Thomas and Leonard Mandeville, Hugh Hagen, Leo Lockman, Ambrose Carrigan, George Burns, William Ludwig, Clarence O'Connell and Thomas O'Connell.

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### CONTINUED INTEREST

#### IN REVIVAL SERVICES

Meetings Continue at the Woodson Christian Church.

The revival services being held at the Christian church have been attended by magnificent audiences each night. Evangelist Roger E. Fyfe is a "workman that needeth not to be ashamed" as he has presented the gospel to the people. His discussion of the themes he has presented are lucid, and so plain and scriptural that no one can possibly fail to understand the gospel plan of salvation. The preaching is plain and pointed, especially the "Chart Sermons", in which the scriptural references are so coupled together that no one who really cares to know the truth can ever say, "I did not know", or "I fail to comprehend what is required of every intelligent man or woman in taking this step in life."

The sermons have been fine, especially Monday night's discourse. This was one of the best of the series in which Evangelist Fyfe demonstrated that every one in life was traveling either on the "straight and narrow way" or on the "broad and wide way, the crooked path", showing that the only way to heaven is the straight and narrow path. The "broad and wide way" and the "crooked path" terminate at the same place—"destruction".

The attendance at these meetings has been good and the church has often been crowded to its fullest capacity.

A chorus choir of the splendid voices of the young ladies and gentlemen of the church renders impressive music as they sing the "Gospel Message" and "Junior Chorus."

Three young ladies and one young man have made the good confession and have been baptised into Christ during the meetings.

In his discourses Evangelist Fyfe has demonstrated the reasons for the Christian church, plainly, clearly, and forcibly stating the desire to be "the eradication of denominationalism, the uniting of all Christians, and the restoration of the primitive gospel of Christ." The slogan of the Christian church is "where the scriptures speak, we speak, and where the scriptures are silent, we are silent." He has set forth the position of the Christian church as having no creed but the Christ and the bible. No rules of faith except those found in the bible, and no names except those found in the Bible. "The Bible only, makes Christians only." He has been very emphatic on this point. His efforts to help answer the Savior's prayer found in the gospel of John 17th chapter and 21st verse "that they all may be one as their Father art in me and I in thee, that they also may be one in us, that the world may believe that Thou hast sent me", are grand.

There will be services each evening this week beginning promptly at seven o'clock, to which the public is cordially invited and to whom a warm welcome is extended.

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### "SEPTEMBER MORN" AT GRAND.

The much talked of musical comedy "September Morn" has been secured by Manager Johnson on a tremendous guarantee for Mon. Nov. 23, coming direct from its successful run of fifteen weeks is alone a guarantee of the popularity of this tuneful, jingling, musical comedy. The many song hits are being sung in all Chicago cafes and phonograph records are in great demand. Books and lyrics are by Arthur Gillespie, music by Aubrey Stuffer; dances by Virgil Bennett and staged by Frank Tannehill. Rowland and Clifford are responsible for the production and sent it forth as the greatest musical comedy of the century. The cast includes Leo Greenwood, Chas. Morgan, Ollie Carew, Barbara Douglas, George Ellen, Robert Thurston and forty-seven efficient helpers. Seat sale starts Friday at box office and from present indications Manager Johnson will hardly be able to accommodate all demands for seats. Although this is a \$1.50 attraction, Manager Johnson has arranged so that only the first five rows of the parquet are \$1.50.

### SPECIAL SKIRT SALE AT HERMAN'S.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**  
Madie Kastrop to W. C. Bealmer, part west half southeast quarter, 32-16-9, quit claim deed, consideration \$1.

W. C. Bealmer to J. W. Martin, part of southeast quarter in 32-16-9, consideration \$3,900.

C. O. Summers to John E. Hall, part lot 13 and 14, block 34, Aylesworth Cobb's add to Mercedosia, \$1,700.

Chamberlain Belk to C. L. Beerup, block No. 2, lot 3, Franklin; \$25.

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### WOMAN'S COUNTRY CLUB MEETS

The regular meeting of the Woman's Country club of Orleans was held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Henry Welborn at Orleans with an attendance of thirty members and guests. The meeting was opened with music by Mrs. Carrie Moeller and an interesting review of the book, "A Spinner in the Sun." This was followed by a social hour when refreshments were served.

### SPECIAL MILLINERY SALE AT HERMAN'S.

**TO GIVE CONCERT.**  
The Arenzville Band which has as a conductor Wilbur Hittie of this city is contemplating a concert in two weeks. The concert will be augmented by several numbers from Arenzville people and Dudley Hittie.

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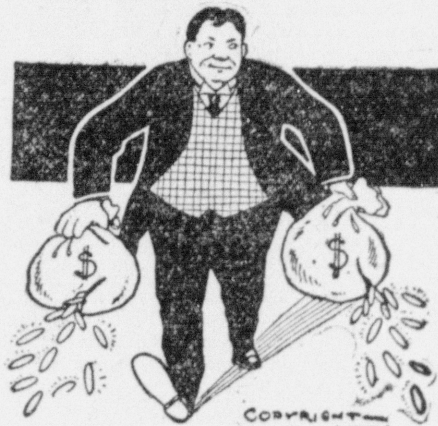
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### "ILLINOIS DAY."

A movement is on foot for the observance of the third day of December, the anniversary of the admission of Illinois into the union, as "Illinois Day" and at the initiation of the Chicago Association of Commerce, backed by various commercial organizations throughout the state, influence is being used with the governor to have a proclamation made to that effect. The local chamber of commerce will in all probability have part in the observance of this anniversary.



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